THE PEARL of YORK ST. MARGARET of YORK GATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAY, JANUARY 23, 2022

3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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The Spirit of the Lord is upon me... He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free. - Lk 4:18



Monday: 6:00pm

Tuesday - Friday: 8:15am

Saturday: 8:15 am | 4:30 pm

Sunday: 8:30am*|11:00am| 5:30pm

*Mass is Livestreamed watch via YouTube: bit.ly/SMOY-Youtube

Notice of Filming and Photography

In order to offer Mass online, we will be live streaming during the 8:30 Sunday Mass. This means there is a possibility your image and likeness may appear on camera.



Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at our scheduled time or by appointment.

> Fr. Bedel | 513.697.3101 Fr. Pasala | 513.697.3102

Scheduled Confession Times Monday: 6:30pm-7:00pm*

> **Saturday:** 8:45am - 9:15am* 3:00pm - 4:00pm

* Or until last Confession is heard

2022 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)

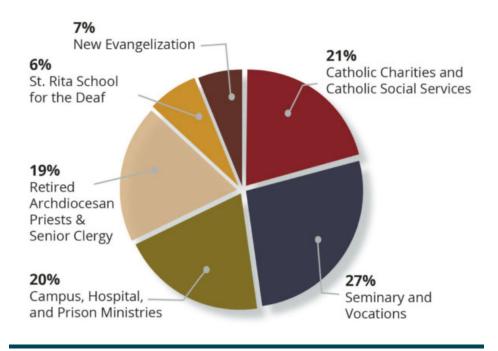
Today begins the annual Catholic Ministries Appeal throughout the archdiocese. The CMA provides vital funding to six local ministries. These ministries include:

- St. Rita School for the Deaf;
- Our Retired Archdiocesan Priests;
- Campus, Hospital, and Prison Ministries;
- Our Seminary and Vocations work at the Athenaeum of Ohio;
- Catholic Charities & Social Services; and
- New Evangelization programming.

More information about the CMA will be arriving in the mail over the next week. We invite you to prayerfully consider making a gift to this year's CMA. Thank you for your support.

The CMA Supports Six Local Ministries

Funds are distributed based on the percentages shown below.



Pope Francis Wants to Hear From You!

The Holy Father is asking for as many of the baptized as possible to participate in archdiocese-wide meetings taking place in January and February, 2022, to discuss how we can collectively better advance the message of salvation. Please consider participating in one the 12 scheduled meetings. To learn more and to sign up, please visit www.catholicaoc.org/synod.

New Music: Mass of St. Kilian

To start off the new year, SMOY will be learning Curtis Stephan's "Mass of St. Kilian" throughout the Winter Ordinary Time Season. We look forward to teaching the SMOY congregation this engaging and spiritually uplifting setting. Ttype "Mass of St. Kilian by Curtis Stephan," to find it on YouTube.

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From the Pastor's Desk

Beloved in Christ,

Today, we are in the midst of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. In the United States, it is observed from January 18th to 24th, leading up to the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul on January 25th. How important is Christian unity? In His great priestly prayer at the Last Supper, recorded in St. John's Gospel, Our Lord Jesus prays to the Father that we may be one as He and the Father are one. So, yes, it is important to the Lord and thus a scandal that there is so much division in His Mystical Body, the Church. But this is nothing new. Jesus founded one Church upon the foundation of the Apostles in the first century. And even in that same century some individuals and groups went out on their own, without being sent, and taught things contrary to the teachings of the Apostles. Pope Leo XIII inaugurated the observance of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in 1897, then in 1910, Pope St. Pius X moved it to the current week. Unitatis Redintegratio #24 from the Second Vatican Ecumenical Council urged the faithful to unite in prayer for this intention: "this holy objective-the reconciliation of all Christians in the unity in the one and only Church of Christtranscends human powers and gifts."

Fr. Bedel

On weekdays when other feasts are not observed, we have the option of offering the Mass for the Unity of Christians, among several others. "In his motu proprio of 30 September 2019, Aperuit Illis, Pope Francis has declared that the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time is to be devoted to the celebration, study, and dissemination of the word of God. This Sunday of the Word of God will thus be a fitting part of that time of year when we are encouraged to strengthen our bonds with the Jewish people and to pray for Christian unity." (Paulist Press Ordo) The full text of Aperuit Illis can be found at Vatican.va with an internet search.

As the Archbishop says in his homily today: We baptized Christians, are called to be active in making Jesus present in the world. The annual CMA is one of the ways we can answer that call. As usual, I gave 1% of my annual income to the CMA. Last year we at St. Margaret of York responded with great generosity. I thank you for your generous witness then; and I thank you in advance for what we will do together in 2022. More information is in this bulletin.

This Friday, January 28th, I will present some photographs and stories from my sabbatical in Spain. We are planning to meet in Fr. James Brooks Hall. All are welcome.

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Parish Financial Support

Sunday Offerings (January 2022)

WeShare Offering \$17,355 Total for current month to date \$53,369

> Sunday Offerings (YTD) (July 2021 - June 2022)

> > YTD Actual: \$875,453

Fiscal Budget: \$ 1,400,000

> Difference: (\$524,527)

Special & Designated Collections (January 2022)

Debt Reduction (Close the Gap): \$1,019 School Tuition Assistance \$481 Retired Religious \$794 Tornado Relief \$635

> Total for Current Month: \$2,928

Mortgage Indebtedness

Principal balance on mortgage: \$2,532,196.27 Number of Months left until payoff: 81 Amount of last payment: \$33,689.70

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Thanks for your prayers. Be assured of my daily prayers for you.

God bless, Fr. Bedel

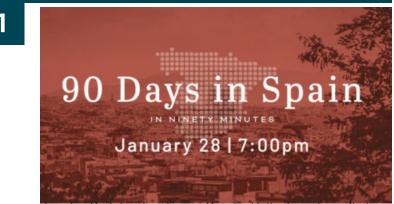
Food Pantry Ministry

January Item of the Month: Toothbrushes, Paste, Floss, & Denture Tabs Oral care items are ineligible for purchase using SNAP benefits. In January pantries strive to provide clients with a brush/paste. We advertised the same in Jan 2021 and toothpaste was subsequently donated every month last year. Thank you!

Baptism Prep Classes

All sacraments require preparation. Baptism Prep Class is for expectant parents who want to have their child baptized. (If your child is already here, congrats. We will still help you prepare for their Baptism with this class.) Once you have completed the paperwork from the class, you will be able to set the date for your child's Baptism. Baptism prep is required for additional children if it's been 4 or more years since your last class or there is a change in pastor. Contact: baptism@smoy.org to sign up for a class. Please provide your phone number when signing up. You can register for the class anytime during your pregnancy.

Save the Date upcoming events



Join Fr. Bedel in Fr. James Brooks Hall where he will share some pictures, stories and other interesting things from his 90 day sabbatical in Pamplona, Spain.

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SMOY PRAYS January 29, 2022 7:00pm

SMOY Prays is an evening where Christ is fully present. Join us for an evening of Eucharistic exposition, praise and worship music, a talk, and allowing the Holy Spirit to work in and among us.

Event Schedule

Praise & Worship Talk Adoration exposition & benediction

Prayer Teams located in the Holy Hallway

Fellowship join us for a refreshment following adoration

St. Margaret of York 9499 Columbia Rd. Loveland, OH 45140

Eucharistic Exposition

Weekly Adoration

Saturday 9:00am - 4:00pm (Benediction @ 4:00pm)

24hrs Adoration

3rd Saturday into Sunday

8:45am - 7:00am (reposed 4:00 - 5:30pm for Mass) Benediction at 6:50am

Church

The Church is open whenever Mass isn't in progress for adoration. For access to building after hours, please contact:

> Jacilyn Jackson jjackson@smoy.org

Morning Prayer

from Liturgy of the Hours

Tuesday - Saturday 7:15am

Rosary

Tuesday - Saturday 8:45am

> **Monday** 6:30pm



Knights of Columbus Euchre Party

February 5 | 7:00pm -10:00pm

The annual Euchre Party is hosted by the St. Margaret of York Knights of Columbus Council 13429. All proceeds will benefit the Knights of Columbus Coats for Kids campaign. \$20 per player which includes 2 drink tickets. Pre-registration is required. The Euchre Party will be held in Fr. James Brooks Hall located on the lower level of the church and is open to parishioners, friends, and family. 1st, 2nd & 3rd Place Prizes plus food, drinks, 50/50 Split the Pot! Need A Refresher? Join us for a pre-party "learn to play" session from 6:30-7:00pm! Pre-register: http://smoykofc.org/euchre

Help Needed/Get Involved

Save the Date & Volunteer for Fish Fry

Friday Evenings in Lent

It's that time of year and we are having fish fry! We are looking for volunteers who are willing to help be on the planning/leadership committee, kitchen leaders, and take out areas. Please contact Kami Bachman at kmbachman7@gmail.com if interested. We will share the Sign Up Genius link for Fish Frys in future bulletins.

Save the Date & Volunteer for Vacation Bible School

May 31 - June 3 | 9:00am -12:00pm

VBS is Back! Save the date! VBS 2022 will be May 31st-June 3rd from 9am to noon. Volunteer information will be coming out soon so be on the lookout as this event can't take place without adult teachers. As a teacher you secure a spot for your own campers. Lastly, this will be our last year as coordinators of this event so if you are interested in taking on this ministry please reach out to one of us. We're happy to have you shadow us so we can show you the ropes. Blessings, Kim Meyrose and Crista Ward. If interested in becoming the coordinator or a teacher please email: vbs. smoy@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus - Social Meeting

We are excited to let everyone know Bob Billot has been confirmed as our speaker at our January 24th social meeting. Mr. Billot is a partner in the Taft law firm in Cincinnati. Most of you have probably never heard of this gentleman, so here is a quick overview: Mr. Billott won a court case against DuPont in West Virginia and the largest settlement in U.S. History to date. We encourage everyone to watch the movie "Dark Waters" prior to the meeting. It is a good one.

The Knights Social Meeting is open to all men of the parish. Please come and enjoy Christian fellowship, exciting guest speakers, refreshments, and new friendships. We meet in the Fr. James Brooks Hall in the lower level of the church. The meeting begins at 7:00 PM on Monday, January 24, 2022.



Open Enrollment

February 1-15, 2022

Open enrollment is from February 1-15. The online application can be found by visiting smoyschool.org

Prospective Parent Meeting + Open House

Thursday, January 20, 2022 [5:30pm Discover the Catholic difference in education. Join us for our prospective parents meeting and stay for our open house from 6:00-7:00pm.

Interested in a Catholic Education?

Open House

Sunday, January 30, 2022 | 12:00 - 2:00pm

Join us after the 11:00am Mass for our open house from 12:00 – 2:00pm. Come and see if St. Margaret of York is the right educational choice for your children.

Prospective Parent Meeting

Thursday, February 10, 2022 [9:00am Join us for our prospective parents meeting and learn what a Catholic education can provide for your children.

RSVP:

Email aeisele@smoyschool.org to RSVP for a prospective parent meeting or to schedule a private tour.

St. Margaret of York School is an EdChoice Scholarship provider. Active SMOY Parishioners receive a discount on tuition.

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 24 6:00PM Mass + Colleen Thomas req by Marilyn Jacoby

Tuesday, January 25 8:15AM Mass Beth Brink req by Kim Lukens

Wednesday, January 26 8:15AM Mass Jared Molas req by Ella Molas

Thursday, January 27 8:15AM Mass + Leo Depinet req by Mary Depinet

Friday, January 28 8:15AM Mass + Jack Kolhoff req by Deacon Paul & Mary Blessing

Saturday, January 29 8:15AM Mass + Intentions of the Celebrant 4:30PM Mass SMOY Parish

Sunday, January 30 8:30AM Mass + Fran Bruns req by Sharon Rose 11:00AM Mass + Cathy Terry req by Keith & Cathy Johnson 5:30PM Mass Amy Hittinger req by Kim Lukens

Become a Bulletin Sponsor

Did you know, our weekly bulletin is paid through our bulletin sponsors and actually provides extra funds to the parish? Becoming a bulletin sponsor is a great way to support the parish and get your business in front of your fellow parishioners. Interested? Contact: Nancy Macmillan [859.443.2073] nmacmillan@4lpi.com

Please support our bulletin sponsors

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Pray for the Sick

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Prayer Request

The St. Margaret Prayer Chain Ministry prays for those experiencing a special need or emergency situation. They are a great comfort to anyone who feels alone when facing a time of crisis. You are welcome to be included in this special ministry, or if you have prayer intentions or requests, our prayers can be offered for you.

Prayer Chain Amy Grogan | 513.646.8911 smoyprayerchain@gmail.com

Sacraments

Please note all sacraments require formational preparation prior to the reception of the sacrament. Please contact the following for more information and to schedule:

Baptism: baptism@smoy.org Marriage: marriage@smoy.org

> Holy Orders: vocations@catholicaoc.org

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Catholic Education Foundation (CEF) Tuition Grants

The Catholic Education Foundation for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati is now accepting K-8 tuition assistance grant applications for the 2022-2023 school year. The application period will run from now through February 6th, 2022. Please go to www.catholicbestchoice.org for more information and/or apply at https://factsmgt.com/.

Beyond the Parish Doors

Beyond our parish doors, there is a wealth of events and opportunities with external Catholic organizations. Visit https://smoy.org/beyond-parish-doors to see more events and volunteer opportunities in the greater Catholic community.

E6 Catholic Men's Conference

Saturday, February 26, 2022 | All Day | East Central High School, St. Leon, IN

"As iron sharpens iron. So does one man sharpen another." -Proverbs 27:17 The E6 Catholic Men's Conference is designed to bring men into a deeper relationship with Christ and His Catholic Church through a worthy celebration of the sacraments, engaging talks to strengthen their faith, opportunities for true fraternity and exposure to good resources to aid them in living their faith as disciples of Christ. This year's speakers include Matthew Kelly, Gus Lloyd, and Fr. Jonathan Meyer. **Register/More Info:** https://www.e6catholicmensconference.com/

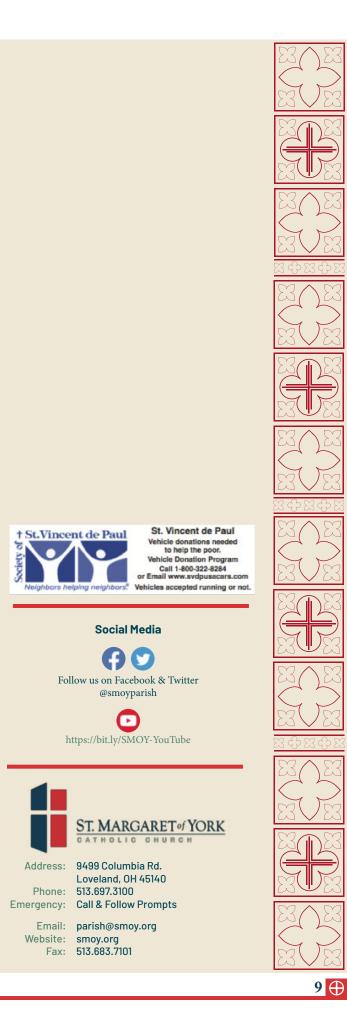
Cincinnati Mens Conference

Saturday, April 2, 2022 | 6:30am - 2:00pm | Fifth Third Arena, University of Cincinnati Campus

Actor Jim Caviezel (Mel Gibson's The Passion of the Christ), Raymond Arroyo (EWTN/ FOX News), and Bishop John C. Iffert (Diocese of Covington) are coming to Cincinnati on April 2, 2022 to speak at the Cincinnati Men's Conference. Go to www.CincinnatiMensConference.com to get tickets. Come for a half day of spiritual renewal and fellowship!

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